

# 50-State Comparison

## K-12 Funding: English Language Learner Funding

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STATE ▲	ENGLISH LANGUAGE LEARNER FUNDING (Y/N)	ELL CITATION
Alabama	Yes Block Grant	Note: This program is not in statute, but funding is appropriated through the <a href="#">annual budget</a> .
Alaska	Yes Flat Weight System	Alaska Stat. Ann. § 14.17.420
Arizona	Yes Flat Weight System	Ariz. Rev. Stat. Ann. § 15-943
Arkansas	Yes Flat Weight System	Ark. Code Ann. § 6-20-2305
California	Yes Flat Weight System	Cal. Educ. Code § 42238.02
Colorado	Yes Multiple Weights System	Colo. Rev. Stat. Ann. § 22-24-104

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Connecticut	Yes Block Grant	Conn. Gen. Stat. Ann. § 10-17g
Delaware	Yes Resource-Allocation Model	Del. Code Ann. tit. 14, § 1716
District of Columbia	Yes Flat Weight System	D.C. Code Ann. § 38-2905
Florida	Yes Flat Weight System	Fla. Stat. Ann. § 1011.62
Georgia	Yes Flat Weight System	Ga. Code Ann. § 20-2-161
Hawaii	Yes Multiple Weights System	Note: This program is not in statute, but the weighted student formula is available through the <a href="#">Department of Education</a> .
Idaho	Yes Block Grant	Idaho Code Ann. § 33-1617
Illinois	Yes Reimbursement System	105 Ill. Comp. Stat. Ann. 5/14C-12
Indiana	Yes Multiple Weights System	Ind. Code Ann. § 20-30-9-5 and § 20-43-13-3
Iowa	Yes Flat Weight System	Iowa Code Ann. § 280.4

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Kansas	Yes Multiple Weights System	Kan. Stat. Ann. § 72-5151
Kentucky	Yes Flat Weight System	Ky. Rev. Stat. Ann. § 157.200
Louisiana	Yes Flat Weight System	La. Const. Ann. art. VIII, § 13
Maine	Yes Multiple Weights System	Me. Rev. Stat. tit. 20-A, § 15675
Maryland	Yes Flat Weight System	Md. Code Ann., Educ. § 5-208
Massachusetts	Yes Multiple Weights System	Mass. Gen. Laws Ann. ch. 71A, § 3
Michigan	Yes Multiple Weights System	Mich. Comp. Laws Ann. § 388.1641
Minnesota	Yes Multiple Weights System	Minn. Stat. Ann. § 124D.65
Mississippi	none	none
Missouri	Yes Flat Weight System	Mo. Ann. Stat. § 163.031
Montana	none	none

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Nebraska	Yes Flat Weight System	Neb. Rev. Stat. Ann. § 79-1007.08
Nevada	Yes Flat Weight System	2019 Nevada Senate Bill No. 555, Nevada Eightieth Regular Session
New Hampshire	Yes Flat Weight System	N.H. Rev. Stat. Ann. § 198:40-a
New Jersey	Yes Flat Weight System	N.J. Stat. Ann. § 18A:7F-51
New Mexico	Yes Flat Weight System	N.M. Stat. Ann. § 22-8-22
New York	Yes Multiple Weights System	Title V, Article 73, § 3602
North Carolina	Yes Resource-Allocation Model	Note: This program is not in statute, but the formula is available through the <a href="#">Department of Education</a> .
North Dakota	Yes Multiple Weights System	N.D. Cent. Code Ann. § 15.1-27-03.1
Ohio	Yes Multiple Weights System	Ohio Rev. Code Ann. § 3317.016
Oklahoma	Yes Flat Weight System	Okla. Stat. Ann. tit. 70, § 18-201.1

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Oregon	Yes Flat Weight System	Or. Rev. Stat. Ann. § 327.013
Pennsylvania	Yes Flat Weight System	24 Pa. Stat. Ann. § 25-2502.53
Puerto Rico	Not Applicable	Not Applicable
Rhode Island	Yes Flat Weight System	16 R.I. Gen. Laws Ann. § 16-7.2-6
South Carolina	Yes Flat Weight System	2019 SC H.B. 4000
South Dakota	Yes Flat Weight System	S.D. Codified Laws § 13-13-10.1
Tennessee	Yes Resource-Allocation Model	Tenn. Code Ann. § 49-3-307
Texas	Yes Flat Weight System	Tex. Educ. Code Ann. § 42.153
Utah	Yes Block Grant	Utah Admin. Code r. R277-708
Vermont	Yes Flat Weight System	Vt. Stat. Ann. tit. 16, § 4010
Virginia	Yes Resource-Allocation Model	Va. Code Ann. § 22.1-253.13:2

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Washington	Yes Resource-Allocation Model	Wash. Rev. Code Ann. § 28A.180.080
West Virginia	Yes Block Grant	W. Va. Code Ann. § 18-9A-22
Wisconsin	Yes Reimbursement System	Wis. Stat. Ann. § 115.95
Wyoming	Yes Flat Weight System	Wyo. Stat. Ann. § 21-13-309